

## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

## INFORMATION REPORT

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1. An unidentified infantry regiment, composed of approximately 1500 men, is quartered in the barracks on the north side of Khaskovo, between the city and the gypsy quarter. The barracks consist of ten to fifteen 1- and 2- story buildings, approximately 30 X 10 meters in size. The entire area is surrounded by a stone wall.
2. An unidentified motorized artillery unit is quartered in barracks located on the northern outskirts of Khaskovo, at the junction of the Khaskovo-Plovdiv and the Khaskovo-Dimitrograd highway. The barracks consist of four 3- and 4-story buildings, 150 x 60 meters in size. A portion of the barracks were constructed prior to 1944, and the remainder were built in 1948. 25X1
3. A number of Army officers are quartered in the old high school building, the practical arts school for girls, and various private homes in the western sector of Khaskovo.
4. An unidentified Vutreshni Voyaki (Interior Troops) unit composed of approximately 200 men, is quartered in barracks located near the Khaskovo prison and the artillery barracks described in Para. 2 above. The barracks consist of a 3- or 4-story building, 60 x 30 meters in size, constructed in 1947 or 1948. Enlisted men in this unit wear khaki knickerbockers (sic), closed-type jackets, and blue caps.
5. Colonel Guehterov (fnu), highest ranking officer in Khaskovo 25X1

## Comments:

1. the installation at this location is described as an infantry barracks.
2. the infantry barracks and the prison are not located near each other.

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